

00098

1969/12/13



SECRET

Classification

DEPARTMENT OF STATE AODC/DO COM-103
5 JUN 2 U 7 1 4 7INDICATE:
 COLLECT
 CHARGE TO

TELEGRAM

REVIEWED BY ()
CLASSIFICATION ()
DOWNGRADING TO ()
DATE ()

DISTRIBUTION	ACTION: Amembassy WARSAW INFO: Amembassy MOSCOW TOKYO TAIPEI AmConsul HONG KONG STATE _____ SUBJ: Coverage of Sino-US Talks	PRIORITY EXDIS REVIEW Cat. A - Caption removed; transferred to O/FADRC Cat. B - Transferred to O/FADRC with additional access controlled by S/S Cat. C - Caption and custody retained by S/S Reviewed by: Elijah Kelly Jr. Date: 4-27-89 19
(S)	<p><u>E X D I S</u> of December 12</p> <p>1. Press reports xx Department's/ noon briefing xx on December 11 meeting speculate explicitly that substance of meeting dealt with renewal of regular ambassadorial talks. Reuters categorically reports Dept announced meeting was "to discuss resumption of full-scale ambassadorial xx talks". AP says meeting "apparently" was to discuss resumption but adds that McCloskey had xx declined to discuss content.</p> <p>2. Embassy should, as soon as possible, ^{have} xx Emboff deliver copy of actual transcript of noon briefing (being sent septel) to Chinese Embassy. Emboff should orally state this being done to correct any possible misinterpretation by Chinese based on wire service reports that Dept xx spokesman violated Ambassador Stoessel's agreement with Chinese charge to avoid</p>	

DRAFTED BY

EA/ACA: PHK Eisberg; lgr

CLEARANCES:

DRAFTING DATE

12-12-69

TEL EXT

20708

APPROVED BY

EA - Marshall Green

The Secretary

S/S - Mr. Eliot

SECRET

Classification



Classification

Department of State
TELEGRAM

INDICATE:
 COLLECT
 CHARGE TO

DISTRIBUTION

ACTION: WARSAW

Page 2

any reference to substance of meeting. Emboff should state he under instructions from Washington to emphasize that press reports [XXXXXXXXXXXXXX] were based completely on individual reporters' speculations. [XXXXXXXXXXXXXX]
[XXXXXXXXXXXXXX]

3. Report any ChiCom reaction.

GP-1

END

[REDACTED]

DRAFTED BY

DRAFTING DATE

TEL EXT

APPROVED BY

CLEARANCES:

SEC RET

Classification